

## REMARKS

The drawings were changed as follows:

### FIGs. 1A,B,C

1. The identifier "FIG. 1" was deleted as it might lead to confusion with the other identifiers "FIG. 1A", "FIG. 1B", "FIG. 1C".
2. The original version had no reference characters for the forces, shifts and moments illustrated by thin lines and bold arrows. Reference characters "F", "-F", "M", "R", "W", "M<sub>w</sub>", "R<sub>w</sub>", "s", "-s" were added in order to facilitate the identification of the forces, moments and shift directions shown.
3. reference numbers **30,31,32,33** of FIG. 3 were added to FIG. 1B and number **40** was introduced to identify the rest element in FIG. 1C (the same number was added in FIGs. 4A,B to identify the rest element in all drawings by a common number).
4. The bold arrow used to identify force **R<sub>w</sub>** in FIG. 1C was shifted to the vertical level of the rest element **40** in order to let it coincide with the line of action (not previously shown) of force **R<sub>w</sub>**. A thin line was added at the tip of said arrow to identify the line of action of **R<sub>w</sub>**.
5. The bold triangles shown at the crutch tips of FIGs. 1B,C were deleted. They were intended to mark the point of contact between crutch tip and ground but do not aid in understanding the meaning of the figures.
6. A small horizontal line was erroneously put into the crutch post close to the tip in FIGs. 1A,B. This line was deleted.

### FIG. 2

Reference numbers **30,31,32,33** of FIG. 3 were added to identify the knee / lower leg rest in FIGs. 2A,B and number **40** of FIGs. 4A,B was added to FIG. 2B to identify the rest element.

### FIG. 3

All reference numbers in FIG. 3 were either underlined or connected to the respective drawing details by lead lines.

### FIGs. 4A,B

1. The identifier "FIG. 4" was deleted as it might lead to confusion with the newly added identifiers "FIG. 1A", "FIG. 1B".
2. The reference number "40" was added to FIGs. 4A,B in order to identify the rest element shown in these drawings. The same number was used in FIGs. 1C, 2B to identify the same element.



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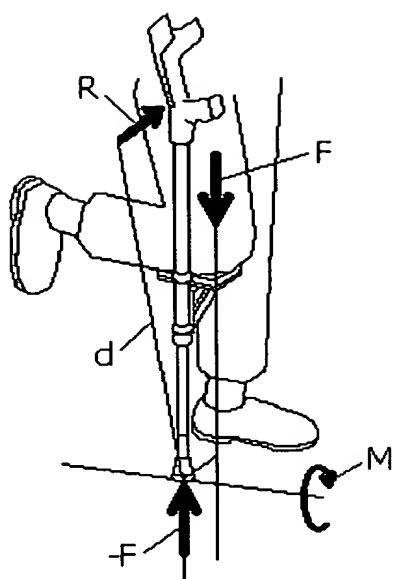


FIG. 1

FIG. 1A

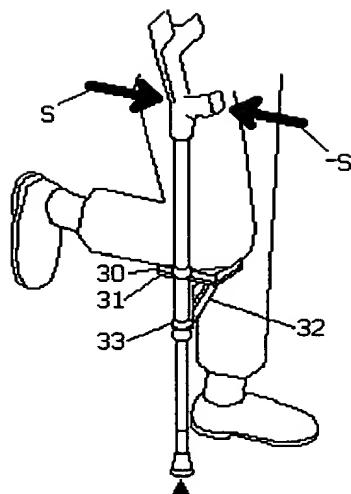


FIG. 1B

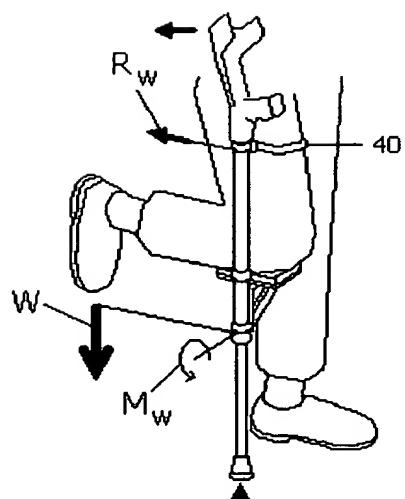


FIG. 1C



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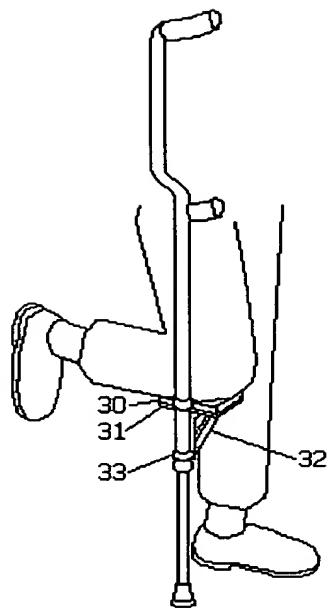


FIG. 2A

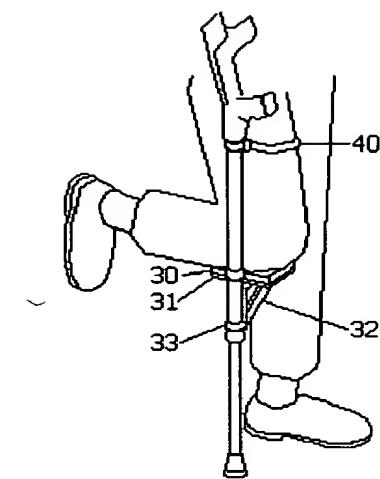


FIG. 2B



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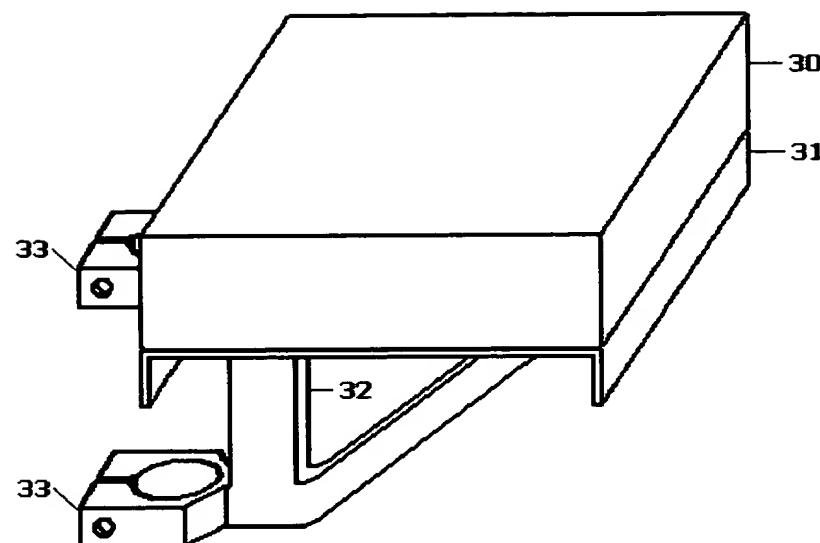
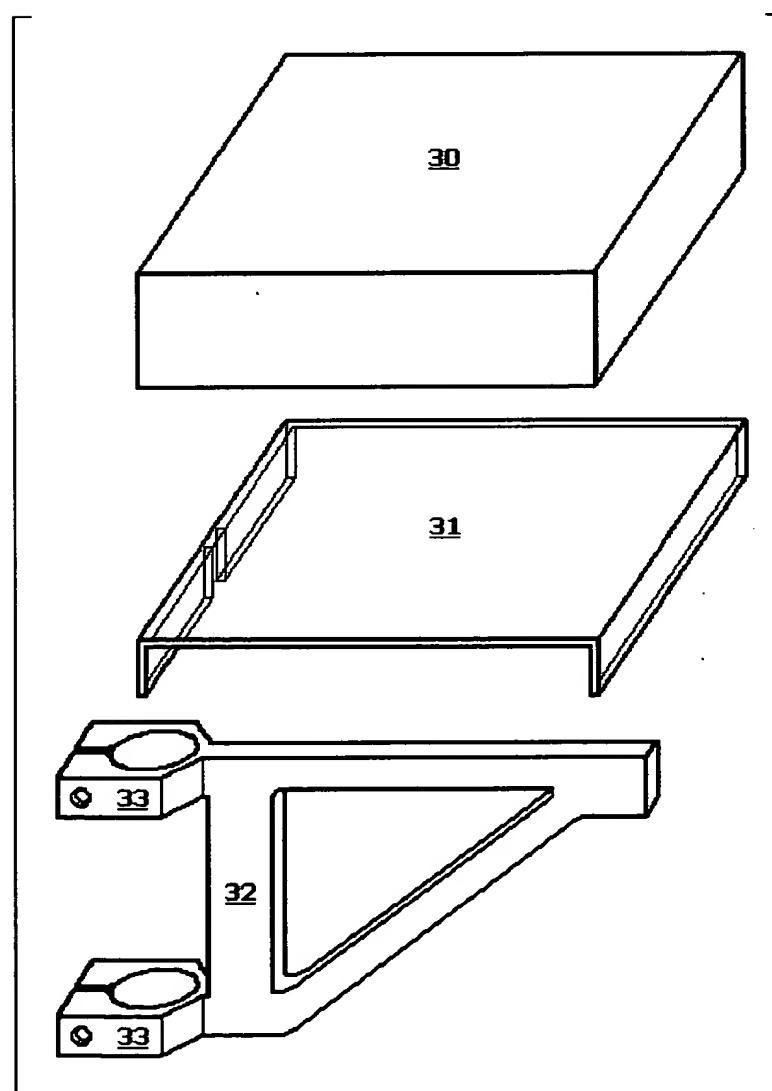


FIG. 3





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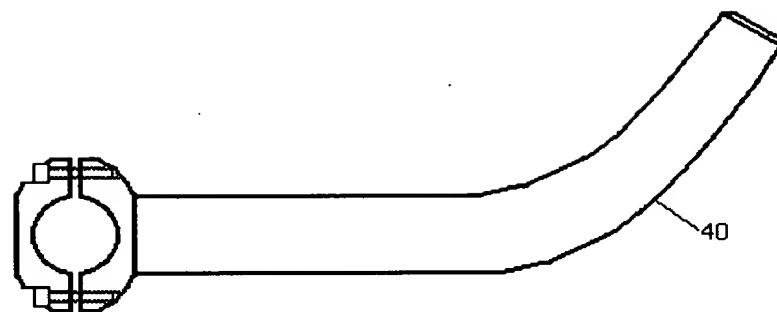


FIG. 4A

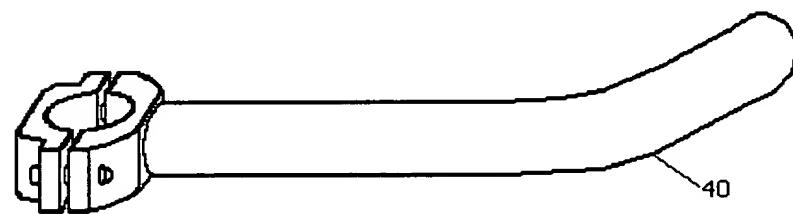


FIG. 4B

FIG. 4